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LAST

Time by the Queen Regent.

Spanish Cortes

Opened With Ceremonies at Madrid.

Regency of Maria Christina Will Terminate Next Year.

Relations Between Spain and Other Countries on Amicable Terms
—News from Foreign Countries.

having conspired with R. L. Winslow and J. O. Davis, agents of the association, to defraud residents of the state of Ohio by impersonating special examiners of the pension bureau. Mr. Carnahan admitted his identity as the person indicted and waived a preliminary hearing. United States Commissioner Mills fixing his bond at \$1,000.

Inoculated With Hydrophobia Chicago, June 12.—Mrs. J. W. Nash was taken to the Pasteur Institute suffering from hydrophobia. Her husband died Friday from the effects of a mad dog's bite. In caring for him Mrs. Nash contracted the disease, a wound in her finger becoming infected while wiping the froth from the dying man's mouth.

Serious Charge. Steubenville, O., June 12.—Edward McDonald, 23, a brickyard employee, was held for trial on a charge that will send him to the penitentiary for life if proved. He is accused of assaulting Rosa Quigley, 11, also of having outraged an older sister and attempting to outrage a 5-year-old sister. He was drunk at the time.

CONCLAVE

Of Knights Templar at Louisville

Will be Attended by Naval Hero, Schley.

Commandery to Which He Belongs Will Act as His Special Escort and Will Carry a Marine Band.

Louisville, June 12.—Captain John Leathers, who will be the grand master of parade of the twenty-eighth annual conclave of the Knights Templar in Louisville the fourth week of August, received a letter from Rear Admiral W. S. Schley in which he said definitely that he will attend the conclave. Admiral Schley was tendered the position of grand marshal of the Knight Templar parade nearly a year ago, but declined. He is a member of Columbia commandery of Washington city, which probably will act as his special escort.

This commandery will, it is said, be accompanied to the conclave by the Marine band, by consent of the president and secretary of the navy. It was proposed to amend the conclave in the interests of economy, impressing some of the dioceses. A bill dealing with the religious orders and charities which were legal and which would not be tolerated will be introduced. Army and navy reorganization bills will be introduced. A bill will be introduced for the complete conversion of the Cuban and Philippine bonds into perpetual 4 per cents.

Russia's Indemnity Views. St. Petersburg, June 12.—The impression prevails in official circles here that the mode of paying the Chinese indemnity will not be settled for a long period, possibly not until the present ministers at Peking are replaced. It is thought they all would welcome a change of post, and these men would be ready to settle the differences. While Russia is not pressing the guaranteed loan proposal because the constitutional powers could not guarantee the loan with legislative consent, yet the plan is not withdrawn. The British proposal is not acceptable. Mr. Rockhill's arbitration proposal causes some wonder, since the mode of payment is hardly considered a suitable issue for legal determination.

Kaiser's Purpose Not Known.

London, June 12.—Lord Cranborne, the foreign secretary, replying to a question in the house of commons as to whether Germany meant to maintain a large military force at Shanghai, said the government understood Germany intended to continue keeping a garrison there. No explanation had been given by Germany as to why she had concluded to follow its policy.

May Reduce Sugar Bounties.

Paris, June 12.—It is hinted that in consequence of the revenue shortage the government is considering a proposal to reduce the sugar bounties.

Had Faith in Dowie.

Janesville, Wis., June 12.—Mrs. H. Pendleton, living with her husband near Allen's Grove, Wis., died at her home, in childbirth, unattended by any one but a Dowie deacon and elder. An autopsy was held by physicians, who said the woman could have been saved had a physician been called. The coroner's jury found that the woman came to her death from gross neglect and wilful negligence on the part of her husband, H. C. Pendleton, under John H. Sayres and Deaconary C. Spiker, and recommended that they be held. Justice Ames refuses to issue warrants on the ground that the offense is not covered by the statute.

Approved by Hanna.

Cleveland, June 12.—With reference to President McKinley's refusal to be considered a candidate for a third term Senator Hanna said: "It is just what I expected the president would say, if he said anything about the subject." Asked if he was in favor of maintaining the precedent established by President Washington referred to the number of years a chief executive should hold office, Hanna said: "I don't think the precedent set by Washington has a great deal to do with the matter. But there is undoubtedly a strong sentiment among the people against such a proposition."

Charge Against J. W. Carnahan.

Washington, June 12.—J. Worth Carnahan, president of the Army and Navy Historical Association, of this city, was arrested under an indictment found by the federal grand jury.

Columbus, O., charging him with

BANK

Cashier Takes His Own Life.

Was Not Proof

Against an Official Examination.

Stood High in the Community But was Short in His Accounts.

Examiner Sent to Inquire Into the Bank's Affairs Closed Its Doors and Sent in a Startling Report.

Financial Failure.

Olivia, Minn., June 12.—Hans Gronerud, who was supposed to be worth \$250,000, has failed, with reported liabilities amounting to \$125,000, and seemingly no assets. For many years he was the owner of the bank at Beaver Falls and a heavy stockholder in the Morton and State bank of Olivia and was engaged in loaning trust funds for Wisconsin and eastern parties, as well as many other people. The bank of Beaver Falls has closed its doors and depositors are clamoring for their money. The depositors include farmers, widows, hired girls and laborers. All Gronerud's real estate was transferred some time ago to D. C. Cheney, and Gronerud has left, saying he was going to springs in Indiana for his health.

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Hot in Chicago.

Chicago, June 12.—This city experienced the highest temperature of the year Tuesday, 89 degrees, and at the same time the humidity was extremely high, reaching 92. There were six prostrations.

The BIG CORN DEAL

Gave George Phillips the "Corn King," Nervous Prostration.

Chicago, June 12.—George H. Phillips, the "Corn King," is convalescing from an attack of nervous prostration brought on, it is claimed, by his prodigious labors in the corn pit. His col-

lapse last Thursday and his confinement by what his physician diagnoses as "stomach trouble" was kept a secret. It will be necessary for him to refrain from the excitement of the corn pit for some time.

MONSTER

Steel Trust is Back of the Men

Who Have Declared War Against Machinists.

A Bitter Fight Between Organized Labor and the National Metal Trade Association May be Expected.

New York, June 12.—A delegate of the National Metal Trade Association, composed of employees in metal work, said today: "We defy the Metal Workers' Union. We defy the American Federation of Labor. A big fight with these decadent organizations is coming. The whole principle of union labor is wrong."

It is believed that the association must have the backing of the steel trust. In no other way can union men account for this bold declaration against the strongest union in the country.

The Metal Trades Association, so Secretary Chalmers says, has millions of dollars available to fight the Machinists' Union if money is needed. The money will be used to pay for the transportation of non-union men and to pay them a bonus of \$4 per day.

The Weather.

Washington, June 12.—Ohio, generally fair tonight and Thursday, except showers in northern portions.

ANOTHER

Kleptomaniac in College is Detected.

Had a Trunk Full of Stolen Goods in Her Room.

Miss Dora Monroe, of Cedar Rapids, Neb., the Cause of a Big Sensation in the Nebraska University.

Lincoln, Neb., June 12.—Dora Monroe, a student at the Nebraska University, has been taken by her father to their home near Cedar Rapids, Neb. The girl confessed to wholesale thefts from fellow students. A trunk full of stolen articles was found in her room. Among those recovered are books, fountain pens, brooches, purses, gold pins, fur collarettes, and other articles of wearing apparel. An attempt to sell a stolen book, on inside page of which was the owner's name, led to her detection.

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And Denies Any Knowledge of the Crime.

The Defense is Endeavoring to Establish an Alibi for Will Prince in the Kennedy Murder Case.

Kansas City, June 12.—The defense in the case of Lulu Prince-Kennedy, who is on trial for killing her husband, will not be finished before Thursday noon. The bulk of the testimony for the defense as brought out so far is an attempt to prove an alibi for Bert and C. W. Prince, the brother and father of the prisoner, whom the state had tried to prove were watching the entrances to the Ridge building at the time of the murder to prevent Kennedy's escape. Will Prince was taken from his cell to testify and his entrance into the courtroom caused a buzz among the spectators, who craned their necks to get a glimpse of the man whom the state is trying to prove the chief actor in the alleged conspiracy to kill Kennedy. The prisoner brightened perceptibly at the entrance of her brother, whose testimony she followed closely. Prince denied that he ever exercised mesmeric power over any one, denied that he accompanied his sister downtown the day of the killing, said the revolver used was not his and that he did not know of the killing only after it had been done.

WAR MEDALS

Presented By King Edward to 3,000 British Troops.

LONDON, June 12.—King Edward officiated at a long and impressive ceremony this morning. Surrounded by civil and military notables his majesty presented 3,000 war medals to British soldiers for gallant conduct. The King gave each medal personally, thus prolonging the ceremony for three hours.

MONSTER

ON A GOLD PLATE

The Invitation From Black Hills People Was Presented.

Chicago, June 12.—The residents of the Black Hills have extended an invitation on a solid plate to President McKinley to attend the Quarto-Centennial celebration of the settlement of the Black Hills, which will be held in Deadwood, S. D., July 3 to 7.

Valer Jones Dying.

New York, June 12.—For some time past reports have been in circulation to the effect that Charles F. Jones, who was valet-secretary to William Marsh Rice, the late Texas millionaire, was in a dangerous condition of health. Mrs. Dickinson, who is in charge of the private sanitarium where Jones is confined, says Jones is dying, that he takes no solid nourishment, is haggard and thin, and his features are drawn and pinched. He has not left his room for four weeks. At the district attorney's office it was denied that Jones is in a dying condition, although it was admitted he is very ill.

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MYSTERIOUS CASE

Resembling the Notorious Pearl Bryan Case Develops in Massachusetts.

Chelmsford, Mass., June 12.—The head of a woman, whose headless body was found some days ago, is believed by many to be that of Margaret Bloddon, who disappeared some weeks ago. There are no marks of violence

SHOT

By Robbers at His Gold Mine.

A Tragic Death

Excites Much Sympathy Among Friends.

Watchman and Servant are Hacked to Death With Machetes.

The Victim and His Wife Were About to Go to England on an Extended Pleasure Trip.

BROTHER

Salvation Army Booth is Ill.

London, June 12.—Gen. Wm. Booth, the head of the Salvation Army, is seriously ill and had to abandon his proposed trip to the Provinces.

Chicago Markets.

Chicago, June 12.—Cattle 21,000 steady; hogs 26,000, weak; sheep 15,000 strong.

FIVE YEARS PENANCE

Has Passed, the Crime is Considered Expiated and a Wedding Occurs.

Washington, June 12.—After five years of penance at Cape Briton, Canada, Miss Elizabeth Flager, the daughter of the late Gen. Flager has come out of her seclusion and will be married today to Dr. Geo. McKean whom she met at Cape Briton and who has waited for her to complete her penance. The police were on hand to prevent any hostile demonstration on the part of the colored people.

Jenkins Flooried Sharkey.

Cleveland, June 12.—Central army was packed by from 8,000 to 10,000 people to witness the wrestling match between Tom Jenkins, the champion of America, and Tom Sharkey of New York. Jenkins flooried Sharkey twice with an upright double Nelson hold, the first round in 19 minutes and the second round in 21 minutes. Sharkey showed great strength and skill.

Hay in Hanna's Town.

Cleveland, June 12.—Secretary of State Hay arrived here from Washington, and after a brief visit with relatives in this city will go to Buffalo to spend a few days. He expects to return to Washington Monday. Mrs. Hay, who reached the city several days ago, will go to the Hay summer home in New Hampshire.

Found Dead in Her Bedroom.

Newark, O., June 12.—Mrs. William Root, 57, was found dead, lying on the floor of her bedroom. She was the wife of a well known grain dealer. Had not been feeling well for some time, but retired apparently in her usual health. Mr. Root was her fourth husband.

Tried to Save Her Child.

Anderson, Ind., June 12.—The six-year-old daughter of Frank W. Akerman was burned to death, and in trying to save the child the mother was so horribly burned that she will probably die.

Killed at a Crossing.

Madison, Wis., June 12.—Leroy Campbell and his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Newton Campbell, were killed by a Chicago and Northwestern train on a street crossing.

The Weather.

For Ohio—Fair in southern, showy in northern portions; southeasterly winds.

NUDE IN ART

is Protested Against By Prominent Y. M. C. A. People.

Boston, June 12.—Bishop McAlpin and prominent business men have protested against the Y. M. C. A. holding convention in the Art Museum because of the nude figures in that institution and the bad effect on the mixed company of young men and women who attend convention.

Governor Samford Dead.

Montgomery, Ala., June 12.—W. H. Samford, 56, governor of Alabama, died at Tuscaloosa, Ala., where he had been some time. Disease of the heart was the cause of death. Governor Samford was a native of Alabama. He had served in the state senate and in congress, was member of the constitutional convention of 1875 and held other important public offices. He was elected governor last August and was inaugurated Dec. 1. Hon. W. D. Jenkins, president of the senate, succeeds to the governorship.

At Port Royal.

Sixteen Men Perished Under Ground

And Twelve of Them Had Gone into the Mine to Rescue Others.

Cause of the Fatal Explosion Still Unknown—An Unofficial List of Those Who Lost Their Lives.

Port Royal

Rheumatism

What is the use of telling the rheumatic that he feels as if his joints were being dislocated?

He knows that his sufferings are very much like the tortures of the rack.

What does he know is what will penetrate his claim?

Just according to thousands of grateful testimonial.

Hood's Sarsaparilla
Is promptly neutralizing the acid in the blood on which the disease depends, completely eliminates it, and strengthens the system against its return. Try Hood's.

\$15.00, \$12.40, \$10.30, \$6.55.

These are the fares to Buffalo and return for the Pan-American Exposition via Chicago and Erie railroad. Stopovers allowed at Chautauqua Lake.

F. C. McCoy, Agent.

A. D. Blanchard, West Bangor, N.Y., says: "I have been troubled with kidney disease for the last five years. Have consulted several physicians and I have got no relief until I used two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure."

H. F. Vorthamp, cor. Main and North streets.

SUNDAY LAKE SPECIAL

Remember the L. E. & W. Sunday special train leaves Lima every Sunday morning at 7 a.m., during the season. Rate Sandusky and return \$1.00. Cedar Point and return \$1.25.

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Seven Years in Bed.

"Will wonders ever cease?" inquire the friends of Mrs. L. Pease of Lawrence, Kan. They knew she had been unable to leave her bed in seven years on account of kidney and liver trouble, nervous prostration and general debility; but, "three bottles of Electric Bitters enabled me to walk," she writes, "and in three months I felt like a new person." Women suffering from headache, backache, nervousness, sleeplessness, melancholy, fainting and dizzy spells will find it a priceless blessing. Try it. Satisfaction is guaranteed by H. F. Vorthamp. Only 50 cents.

"Great Scott," exclaimed Starboard as they turned the corner: "the boarding house is afire!" "Let's hurry," suggested Port: "maybe we'll get something worth."

QUICK RELIEF FOR ASTHMA.
Miss Minnie Dickens, Parsons, Kans., writes: "I suffered eight years with asthma in its worst form. I had several attacks during the last year and was not expected to live through them. I began using Foley's Honey and Tar and it has never failed to give immediate relief."

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HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSION
Via the Pennsylvania Lines. Low rate Home-Seekers' excursion tickets to the west and south will be sold via Pennsylvania Lines, May 7th, 21st, June 4th and 18th. Particular information about fares, through time and other details will be furnished upon application to Passenger and Ticket Agents of the Pennsylvania Lines.

Allen Halverson of West Prairie, Wis., says: "People come ten miles to buy Foley's Kidney Cure." While J. A. Spero of Elkhorn, Ind., says: "It is the medical wonder of the age."

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A Relic of the Past.

"Your grandfather must be quite an old man."

"Very old. He can remember the time when people bought 'extras' with the expectation of finding that something remarkable had happened." —Puck.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bear the signature of *Cliff Fletcher*.

Always Something Going On.

"Any June news out in your sub-urb?"

"Yes, oh yes, three new kinds of bugs on our rose bushes." —Detroit Free Press.

No Laudanum—
Nothing that could harm the little one, in.

DR. JAMES'
SOOTHING SYRUP CORDIAL.

Cures all the ills of childhood.

At drug stores.
25 cents a bottle.

TIDAL

Wave of Municipal Reforms

Sweeps Across

The Country from New York to 'Frisco

And Lima Would Gladly Welcome the Arrival of Her Portion.

Greed and Craft of City Officials in Most of the Larger Cities Being Uncovered and Brought to a Halt.

There is a civic revolution now in progress in the United States, the importance and proportions of which are not fully appreciated. In every city of importance, besides many of the smaller ones, municipal associations of some sort are carrying on reforms, but not under the guise of a reform movement. They are practical efforts of business men to establish the civic affairs of their towns upon a business basis.

The Managers' Association of New York city has been the prime mover in this work and many of the efforts in other cities have been planned after the New York organization. Its greatest achievement was the overthrow of the proposed Tammany steal, which, but for its timely fight, would have saddled a debt of more than \$200,000,000 upon the city.

Coler Prevented Steal.

Comptroller Bird S. Coler was the first to discover the animus of the promoters of this gigantic scheme, but it was wholly due to the stiff fight put up by the Merchants' association that the measure was defeated. It cost over \$40,000 to conduct the campaign. \$20,000 of which was advanced by President William F. King, and months of free labor by members of the association.

This organization of business men is maturing plans for a thorough overhauling of the municipal accounting of the city. This will involve expenditure of tens of thousands of dollars, labor extending over a period of several years and a large amount of new legislation. As an illustration of the need of the latter, of the more than \$52,000,000 which are annually paid for salaries alone in New York city, fully 85 per cent of that amount is made absolutely necessary by mandatory legislation.

Comptroller Coler maintains that several millions of annual expense would be saved by the repeal of these mandatory measures.

Good Work in San Francisco.

The Merchants' Association of New York city is doing more toward bringing about a permanently better state of civic affairs than are all the reform organizations combined. It works along purely non-partisan lines.

The Merchants' association of San Francisco was patterned after the New York organization, and that city has been transformed from one of the worst ruled in the world to one of the best in the United States. It is infinitely cleaner, both politically and physically, than it was five years ago.

Regardless of all statements to the contrary, the city of Chicago is slowly emerging from a political thralldom of the most unsavory character. The Civic Federation of that city was responsible for the formation of the Municipal Voters' League, a semi-business men's organization, which has so transformed the board of aldermen and council of Chicago that the days for the passage of "snake" legislation and corrupt methods in the disposition of street railway franchises are past, it is to be hoped forever.

Progress in Philadelphia.

Even conservative Philadelphia is making substantial progress toward better things, although it is largely due to the work of the Municipal League, which is more of a reform organization than the Voters' League of Chicago. By its work at the last November election, notwithstanding the strongly partisan character of its voters, and the fact that it was presidential year, a Republican majority of more than 115,000 for president was reduced to about 47,000 for city treasurer.

It has not been wholly successful in avoiding all bad civic legislation, for in spite of its best endeavor the "upper" legislation, affecting the cities of the second class, was passed and signed by the governor. Although the matter was taken to the courts and a strong fight made to show that it was unconstitutional, the supreme

court of Pennsylvania has declared the law constitutional, which is a severe defeat for better civic affairs in Pennsylvania.

Best Governed City in America.
The best governed city in the United States is one of the smaller cities—Cambridge, Mass. It has the enviable reputation of being the only city in the United States where it is not necessary to "grease" the way before a bill of goods can be sold by a contractor.

There was a time, and not so many years ago, when London was the most expensively governed city in the world. The excellent work of the London county council, however, and the rapid increase of New York's extravagance has transferred the palm to the metropolis of the "new" world. It cost \$63,000,000 to run the city of London last year, while New York paid out more than \$186,000,000—almost three times as much.

Outlay in 13 Large Cities.

The combined outlay for all purposes of the 13 largest cities—exclusive of New York—Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston, Baltimore, St. Louis, San Francisco, Buffalo, Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Detroit, New Orleans and Milwaukee, amounts to only \$175,000,000 per year—\$19,000,000 less than were expended for the same purpose in New York. The combined area of the thirteen cities is 895 square miles as compared with 308 of New York. The real estate tax rate of the combined cities, per square mile is \$83.272, while that of New York amounts to \$236.118.

That there is great work yet to be performed in the American cities, especially in New York, is a proposition which will be conceded by all.

A VERY PARTICULAR BIRD.

If the Bathing Dish Didn't Suit Him, He Went Unwashed.

"Birds have as much character as human beings," said a specialist on birds. "Some are the most ardent little aristocrats, while others are regular little plebeians. I had a little fellow

some time ago who, despite all my efforts, would not bathe. Each morning

when, with his white porcelain tub in my hand, I approached his cage, he

would resolve himself into the sunniest

corner of his cage and remain there,

as though he had just come from a

swimming bath. I coaxed and pleaded; I even bribed. But he would not.

So consistent was he in his determination not to bathe that I named him Tramp. One morning I broke the tub, and in its place I took a shallow blue and white dish of Japanese ware.

Tramp eyed me for a moment with all his old hostility, and then as he caught sight of the pretty dish he flew down

from his perch with chirps of joy and darted into the water before I could take my hand from the cage.

"I had found the way to his heart,

and his morning bath now became a daily source of joy to both of us. But

on fatal morning I broke the blue and white dish. In an apologetic manner I brought to Tramp once more the regulation white bath dish, hoping that his cleanly habits were by this time so ingrained that he would overlook the prosaic appearance of his tub. Not so.

An angry flutter of wings, a threatening little bark, a perfect tempest of shrill cheeps and twitterings and then sulky silence on the topmost perch.

"So it went on till I secured another blue and white dish and then peace and harmony and...morning bath again!"—New York Commercial Advertiser.

Railroad Men's Prayer.

An old railroad man, having been converted, was asked to lead in prayer. The following was the response: "O Lord, now that I have flagged thee, lift up my feet from the rough road of life and plant them safely on the deck of the train of salvation. Let me use the safety lamp known as prudence, make all the couplings in the train with the strong link of thy love and let my hand lamp be the Bible and, heavenly Father, keep all switches closed that lead off the sidings, especially those with a blind end. O Lord, if it be thy pleasure, have every semaphore block along the line show the white light of hope that I may make the run of life without stopping. And, Lord, give us the Ten Commandments for a schedule, and when I have finished the run on schedule time and pulled into the great dark station of death may thou, the Superintendent of the universe, say, 'Well done, thou good and faithful servant; come and sign the pay roll and receive your check for eternal happiness!'"—Railroad Gazette.

Turkey Doves in Athens.

The turkey merchant is the most wonderful of street vendors. He arrives with 200 or 300 birds which he drives about town for a week or two, selling them one by one. He is armed with a long pole, with which he teases up lazy or quarrelsome birds. They gobble continuously, and he shouts above the din, "Gallooo, gallapoo, gallopoo!" "Turkey cocks, little turkeys, little hen turkeys!" When one dove meets another face to face or at right angles, they pass through without confusion, and no bird changes.

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Most Tactless of Men.

"Clarence unintentionally offended the aspiring young poetess."

"In what way?"

"He sent her a gaily decorated waste basket as a birthday present."—Philadelphia Record.

Lot.

Naturally, an unhappy lot seems a job lot, from the inside—Detroit Journal.

MARKETS OF GERMANY.

Their Importance Pointed Out In Consular Reports.

TEUTONS HOW TO YANKEE SKILL.

Superiority of American Methods Recognized—Great Improvement of Trade in Machinery From United States—Demand For Structural Iron—Our Reversible Cloths Extensively Copied.

The importance of Germany's markets to the United States is set forth in the latest from "Commercial Relations of the United States," made public the other day by Frederic Emery, chief of the bureau of foreign commerce of the state department.

Consul Brundage of Alz-la-Chapelle says there was placed in that city within the last year approximately \$250,000 worth of American machinery. The market for structural iron and hardware is large, and the best way to place American goods of this class is through the architects.

Consul Hughes of Coburg says that trade in American agricultural machinery has improved greatly since the local fair held some months ago, at which these articles were exhibited. Our tools, Mr. Hughes says, simply sell themselves by their superiority of make, tightness, durability, etc. American locks at last have been introduced and are considered wonderful in their way.

Consul Lieber of Dusseldorf notes that several firms in that city devote themselves almost exclusively to the importation of American machine tools, and their business is flourishing. Many American articles are exhibited in the stores, such as writing desks, typewriters, petroleum stoves, washing machines and other household goods, and all seem to sell well. There is a constantly increasing demand for pitch pine.

Consul Harris says that our goods have solid footing in the Mannheim consumer district, especially in the lines of iron and wood working machinery, pumps, cash registers, office furniture, photographic supplies, sewing machines, bathtubs, lawn mowers and rakes, shoes, lubricating oil, etc. Food supplies cannot meats, California fruits, etc., are popular.

Consul Sawyer of Glauchau says that the Germans regard American progress in the manufacturing of textiles as remarkable. Not only has the American manufacturer adopted every machine, tool or device known in foreign countries that could be used to advantage, but more than this, he has brought ingenuity and enterprise to bear against the slower thoroughness of the German spinning, for instance, which makes 10,000 revolutions per minute, has saved American manufacturers, it is estimated, over \$100,000,000 since its adoption in 1870. The consul continues:

"Each year records progress in America to the Germans' regret in increasing the output of mills without a relative increase in cost of production, and as no standard is considered too high improvements are constantly noted in weaving, dyeing and finishing goods and, in fact, in every branch of the industry. There is no doubt that the American manufacturer spends more money than his competitors in Germany.

"In Saxony for some months there have been rumors of unfavorable European conditions. Manufacturers are keeping their factories running on materials which, while excellent in every particular, lack that quality known as novelty, which produces rapid sale at good prices in America. German manufacturers are almost on the verge of acknowledging defeat and are ready and willing at this moment to take ideas from America. Within the past year American opinions have gained tremendous ascendancy in German and European circles generally. The once despised American manufacturer, the once laughed at American ideas of dress are now the thing, and this fact is realized by the German manufacturer. American women of wealth and position are positive people in the European markets. They know what they want to buy and insist on getting it. They reject the bizarre productions of German manufacturers and teach them how to make goods smart, effective and neat. Lacking new style, German goods are not now being sought for."

"The reversible cloths which are made in the United States have become an article of general use in Germany, are extensively copied and are now the style in high priced goods in the German capital. Germany intends to hold its grip upon manufacturing interests in the market, however, and will utilize American ingenuity and enterprise until her products again succeed."

NEW STEELMAKING PLAN.

Californian Will Convert Pig Iron as It Leaves Cupola Furnace.

George C. Carson, a mining man of northern California, has invented and applied for patents in 22 countries on a process for manufacturing steel, which a corporation, apparently the American trust, has offered to purchase for \$600,000.

The invention really consists, according to a dispatch to the Philadelphia Times from Medford, Calif., of a carbon blowpipe, through the operation of which pig iron can be converted into steel as it leaves the cupola furnace. Mr. Carson has taken advantage of several chemical properties and of their operation has produced a plan for the manufacture of steel which is claimed to be far ahead of the bestemmer processes.

Refuse Sterilization.

A. C. Mayr & Co., Baltimore, Md.

Dr. Potts' Pills for Liver and Bowels.

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TEST

Well Drilled in the
Marion Field

Has Opened Up

A Wide Scope of New
Oil Territory.

The Producers' Fraternity
Scrambling for Leases
in the New Field.

An Effort Now Being Made in the
Government Navy Department
to Have Crude Oil Adopted
ed for Fuel.

Oil men interested in the South
Marion township field were out en-
mass Monday to secure leases in the
good-sized area of oil territory opened
up by the test well being drilled on
the John Cole farm in section 31, Big-
lick township, by the Coal Oil Co.,
consisting of the six Coal brothers.
The well causing all the flurry was
about 175 feet in the sand Monday
evening. There is a strong flow of gas,
but better still, the hole is filled some
600 feet with lively oil. T. C. Kelly,
the veteran operator, viewed the well
Monday, and prophesied that it would
make a good producer. Every well
which shows a barrel or two of oil
when drilled in is at once pronounced
a gusher by the novice, but when an
experienced operator like T. C. Kelly
expresses his opinion as freely as he
did Monday, the well must be a good
one. The drillers noting the rise of
the fluid in the hole, and the tremendous
gas pressure, were expecting a
flow in the night. It is quite likely
that several wells will be started in
the newly-opened territory within the
next few weeks.

Oil For Fuel.

Washington, June 10.—Another effort is to be made in the navy to use
oil as fuel. The yards and dock shop
at the Mare Island navy yard will be
equipped to use the oil, and instructions
for the test have been sent from
Washington. The subject has been
under investigation by the board of
naval officers and it is on the findings
of the board that Rear Admiral End-
cott has decided to conduct the ex-
periment and endeavor to find a sub-
stitute for coal, which is expensive on
the Pacific coast.

The government has been paying an
average price of \$8.50 per ton for
coal at the Mare Island navy yard, and
the same class of fuel is obtainable in
the east for less than \$3 a ton. The
discovery of numerous and copious oil
wells in California has suggested the
economy of the use of oil as fuel at
Mare Island, provided, of course, that
it can be made serviceable to the re-
quirement of the ships. Rear Ad-
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FACES

In the eye that lights to meet us and the face
that smiles to greet us
Are the shadows of the future and the impress
of the past.
And the cheek that in its dawning flushed as rosy
as the morning.
Shows the outline of its beauty as it fades away
at last.
And the little child's face and their diapers
are the traces
Of the maiden's glowing beauty and of man-
hood's brow of care.
And the prophecy of grandmothers and the shadow of
the sun to come.
To the thoughtful eye that giveth are they
lurking ever there.
But the faces that are nearest and the faces that are
dearest
Are the true, the tender faces that our trust and
loving hearts
Come to them shading the soul that shall be failing.
Like the vase with light illumined shall we see
the soul within.—Woman's Life.

NEWS

Of the City Across
the River.

Quiet Wedding

Is Celebrated on Reece
Avenue.

MARRIED HANNER HIMSELF.
The Wedding Came About Through
a Deal Over a Mortgage.

"Never heard how I got the best of
ole Simmons, did you?" queried the
farmer from the upper part of the
state, who is visiting his son. "You
know what a skinflint he was? Worst
I ever see or read about."

"Well, you been flippin round a good
bit 'bout ole widderin' gitlin married
ag'in so I'll tell you how it was. Sim-
mons held a mortgage on that south
forty. He beat me outen the money
on a sharp dicke, and I been ready
ter put the scalpin knife enter him
ever since, but I calkerlated that I'd
have ter settle or give him the land.
While I was savin up ter clear off the
mortgage I got a intermashin' fram
Si Duke that ole Simmons was payin'
attention ter Hanner Watsing. Si givin'
the hint and same time tolle me he was
lettin on ter he Hanner's stillly just so
as ter devil Simmons."

"When I went ter see the ole skin-
flint 'bout givin' me a little more time
on the mortgage, he knder giggles
round and looks like he'd been stealin'
sheet and ast me what the talk was
'bout Si and Hanner. Now, I ain't no
college professer, but I see right off
what way the wind was blowin, and I
spun a yarn 'bout it bein' common re-
port as how Hanner and Si was goin'
to get hitched.

"I thought ole Simmons would have a
spell, but I braced him up, all the
time a-tellin' him that Si and Hanner
would be a good match. Well, the up-
shot was that he said if I git Si ter
more to Indiana and stay there I
could have the mortgage cleared with-
out payin' a cent. Si was blamin' glad
ter for \$500, but ole Simmons was so tur-
nem in mean in talkin' bout it that he got
my mad up, and I sailed in and mar-
ried Hanner myself. That's the way
you got fer new mother-in-law, and
of you ever hear of me bein' cracked
over you investigate ole Simmons!"—
Detroit Free Press.

A Fine Old Government Clock.

It is a fine old clock which stands in
the senate lobby fronting the main en-
trance to the senate chamber. For almost
a century it has been ticking away,
night and day, and now it is as good
as ever.

The old clock is about eight feet high,
and its frame is solid mahogany. Its
face is about a foot and a half in diameter,
and the name of Thomas Voight,
Philadelphia, shows by whom and
where it was made. If used to stand in
the old senate chamber, now the su-
preme court room, where Webster and
Clay and Benton and all the famous
men of the past debated great ques-
tions. If the clock could only talk, it
could tell many tales of dramatic inter-
est.

Upon the mahogany case is carved a
large shield, with stars to represent the
states. When the clock was built, there
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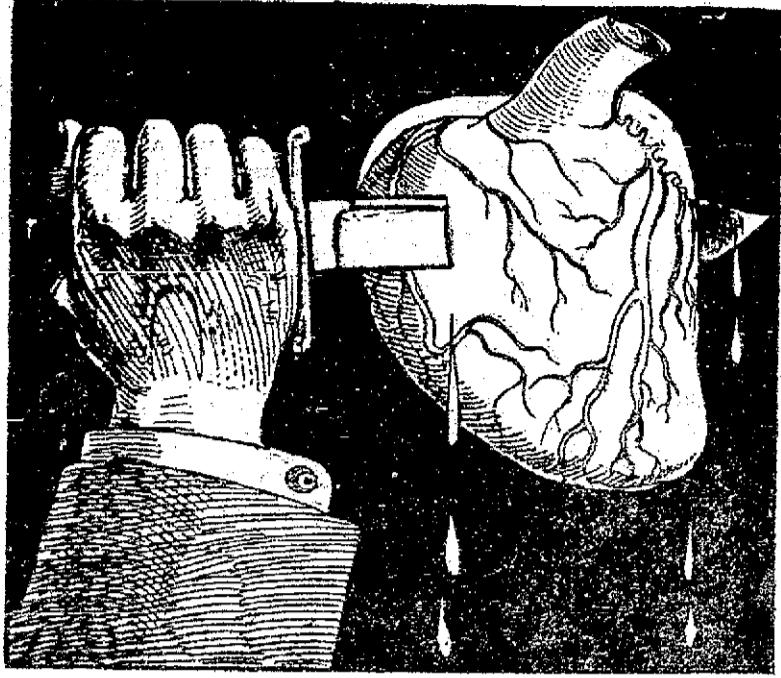
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Heart Disease

Some Facts Regarding the Rapid Increase of Heart
Trouble.



Heart trouble, at least among the Americans, is certainly increasing and while this may be largely due to the excitement and worry of American business life, it is more often the result of weak stomachs, of poor digestion.

As a organic disease is incurable, but not one case in a hundred of heart trouble is organic.

The close relation between heart trouble and poor digestion is because both organs are controlled by the same group nerves, the Sympathetic and Pneumogastric.

In another way, also, the heart is affected by the form of poor digestion, which causes gas and fermentation from half digested food. There is a feeling of oppression and heaviness in the chest caused by pressure of the distended stomach on the heart and lungs, interfering with their action; hence arises palpitation and short breath.

Yesterday George Holderman visited with West Minster friends.

The members of Grace M. E. church are arranging for a grand picnic to be held at Rover's Lake in 14 weeks. It is supposed to make it an important pleasant church event.

South Lima friends were visited yesterday by Hon. N. R. Piper, of Kenton, a former member of the Ohio legislature from Hardin county.

Grace M. E. church of the south side has been authorized by the conference to establish in the near future a deaconess home. A special effort will be made to have it situated in south Lima. It would be an institution of which the south side might well be proud.

The veteran journalist, William Hutcheson called upon Elida friends yesterday.

Yesterday Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Munro, of Lafayette, were entertained at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. S. Rudy, on south Main street.

The first case of prostration by heat in south Lima this summer occurred yesterday, when Amos Delong, who was working in the hot sun, was completely overcome. For awhile he was in an alarming condition.

At dinner yesterday Dr. and Mrs. A. S. Rudy, of south Main street, entertained many friends. The happy event bespoke much for the gracious hospitality of the doctor and his charming wife.

The information was received yesterday by Mrs. W. H. Tompkins, of south Pine street, that her brother at Altoona, Pa., was dead.

Concluding a several days visit with his son, H. E. Patrick, H. M. Patrick left yesterday for his home at Bellefontaine.

Yesterday Mrs. J. S. Smith, of south Lima had for her guest David Thomas, a well known citizen of Ohio City.

South side friends today entertained Lieutenant Joseph D. Mathews, a prominent citizen of Ada.

This morning J. F. Allen, of south Main street, left for Port Union, where he has accepted a position as lecturer for a medical concern.

The efficiency of Grace church choral society has been enhanced by the addition of a complete orchestra.

Friday morning the graduating exercises of the south Lima A grammar school, will be held in the south side Christian church.

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OVERCOME

By Heat While at Work on West Market Street,

Extreme High Heat of Yesterday and Today Playing Havoc in Laborers' Ranks.

J. C. Redman, the well known colored man, while at work on the reconstruction of the west Market street tracks was overcome by heat about 11:30 o'clock today and was removed to his home at 236 south Union street in Grosjean's ambulance. He is seriously ill and is being attended by a physician.

The extreme heat of yesterday and today has caused considerable suffering among workmen who have been required to perform manual labor under old Sol's direct and scorching rays. Several men employed on the construction of the east McKibben street improvement were overcome by the heat yesterday afternoon and had to quit work.

PERSONAL.

Ed. Adams left for Columbus this morning to act as best man at the wedding of his brother Gery, of Findlay, who will wed Miss Jessie Goodie, of the capital city.

Mrs. Kittie Emery, of Lima, and Mrs. L. S. Risley, of Waverly, O., who have been visiting at the home of G. G. Frankenberger, returned home Monday evening—Delphos Herald.

Mrs. Dr. W. N. Boyer and daughters have gone to Illinois to visit the doctor's parents.

Frank Kelly and George McCauley, of Lima, were the guest of Charles Lang... Miss Anna Bassett returned from Lima, Saturday evening. She goes to New York, Wednesday... W. Rada and family and Harmon Beckman, of Lima, were guests at the home of Joseph Jettinghoff... L. G. Speck of Dupont, was in the city today and went to Lima... Mrs. M. E. Roselli is entertaining Mrs. E. C. Morgan, of Toledo, and Miss Laura Behr, of Frankfort. Miss Maude Michaels, of Lima, was there over Sunday—Delphos Herald.

C. W. Risley and family came in last night from British Columbia, where Mr. Risley is engaged with the King Solomon Mining company. They will remain during the summer.

Frank Eland, of the Bellefontaine Index, is visiting his parents in this city.

Charles Eckert, of Grosjean's undertaking establishment was called to Trenton, O., today, by a telegram announcing the death of his wife's sister, Miss Anna Dietz. Mrs. Eckert was at her sister's bedside when death occurred.

Dr. Dickey, of south Main street, has returned from a trip in southern Ohio.

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ROMANTIC

Marriage That Occurred in Windsor, May 30,

Has Just Been Learned of by the Friends of the Happy Bride and Groom in This City.

A wedding that was a surprise to the parents and friends of the contracting parties, was the one solemnized in Windsor, Canada, on Decoration Day, May 30th, in which Miss Nina Gibson and Mr. Frank Nelson were made one. They had no attendants, and the only witnesses were Miss LaRue and Mr. Wyre. The bride was attired in a pretty suit of brown and the groom wore the customary black.

Miss Gibson was formerly book keeper at the Enterprise Laundry. Mr. Nelson is the young son of Mr. and Mrs. George Nelson, of West Virginia. They will be at home to their many friends at 718 east Market street, for the present.

S. R. KRAMER

Is Now Slated For a Position With the Nickle Plate.

S. R. Kramer, who recently left the service of the L. E. & W., is reported to have accepted a position that has been tendered him by the management of the Nickle Plate railroad and will enter the service of that road on July 1st.

BOXWELL COMMENCEMENT.

The annual commencement of the public schools of German township, will be held at the Easttown school house Friday evening, June 14th, 1901, at 8 o'clock, under the direction of Miss Blanche Brower.

DAVID EAST, Clerk.

Grain Markets. Chicago, June 12.—Closing July wheat, 70%; corn 45%; oats 27½; pork 14.55.

Monument to Lincoln's Mother. Indianapolis, June 12.—Preliminary steps to the dedication of the monument to Nancy Hanks Lincoln near Lincoln City, Spencer county, were taken at a meeting of the Nancy Hanks Lincoln Memorial association with Governor Durbin. A request had come from Spencer county residents that the monument, which is in position over the grave, be dedicated July 4. The association does not approve of the suggestion, a date in October being favored. It is the intention of Governor Durbin to be present at the exercises, and Governor Yates of Illinois is to be invited. An invitation will also be extended to the Grand Army and probably to the citizens of the state.

Will Protect Children. Chicago, June 12.—Children of Christian scientists and of believers in various types of "mind cure," "faith cure" and "divine healing" will hereafter be committed for medical treatment to various institutions. Such was the announcement made by Judge Tuthill of the juvenile court. According to the view of Judge Tuthill adults are at liberty to use medicine, or "faith cure" or any other means to fight diseases. Children however, according to his belief must legally be given that sort of cure which, according to generally accepted notions, is needed.

Killed by Live Wire. Marietta, O., June 12.—Miss Lucy Hanna, bookkeeper of the Marietta Daily Register, was instantly killed by a shock from a live wire on an incandescent lamp. Heavy electrical shorts put the transformer out of order. Miss Hanna stepped on an iron door sill with the heavily charged wire in her hand and was killed instantly. Miss Hanna was well known in educational circles and was formerly a teacher in the Marietta commercial college.

Alabama's New Constitution. Montgomery, Ala., June 12.—The first part of the new constitution was adopted by the constitutional convention. The office of Lieutenant governor was created, the governor's salary increased from \$3,000 to \$5,000. The terms of executive officers lengthened from two to four years, executive officers are ineligible for re-election, nor can the governor become a candidate for the United States senate within one year of the expiration of his term.

Raised a Cent an Hour. Louisville, June 12.—The Louisville Railway company July 1 will increase the wages of its motormen and conductors from 17½ cents to 18½ cents an hour. The increase is to be given all employes who have been in the company's service two years, and affects 350 men.

Old Soldier Drowned. Sandusky, O., June 12.—John J. Reiter, 61, of Bucyrus, O., was found dead in a pond in the Soldiers' Home grounds. The presumption is that he fell into the water and drowned. During the civil war Reiter served in the Eighth Ohio Volunteer infantry.

Earl of Moray Dead. London, June 12.—Ermund Archibald Stuart, earl of Moray, is dead. He was born Nov. 5, 1840.

JUNE

Roses Lend Beauty and Fragrance

To a Function

Enjoyed by Many at the Grosjean Home.

Mrs. Mulholland Will Entertain Friends Tomorrow Evening.

Miss Caroline Cross to Become the Bride of Mr. Carl Behrhorst, of Pittsburgh, on the 26th, at High Noon.

This month of bloom has been comparatively quiet, with but few reception and parties, so that but few regrets were sent to Mrs. J. E. Grosjean, who received yesterday afternoon, from three to five. The spacious rooms were beautified with large clusters of fragrant June roses or tall pink peonies of several varieties. In the pleasant duties of sending guests to the dining room, and in introducing newcomers to friends of long standing valuable aid was given by Mrs. J. B. Douglas, Mrs. J. C. Thompson, Mrs. George Paulus, Mrs. J. O. Hover, Mrs. James Halfhill, Mrs. Frank Boone and the Misses Boone, all of whom were attired in dainty summer gowns. The dining room was a pretty combination of colors, the dark, rich walls, green woodwork, making a pretty setting for the toilettes of the guests which were as varied as a summer flower garden. The refreshing ices, cakes and hot buns were served by a bevy of young friends of Miss Pearl Grossman, Miss Irene Michael, Miss Mary Stevens, Miss Edith Argue, Miss Edna Lowe, Miss May Epke and Miss Genevieve Robinson, all in cool dining gowns. These same misses served sparkling frappe in another room as the guests left the dining room. The curious old clock on the stair was at intervals a great attraction with its merry music box and quaint moving figures. The callers lingered on the cool porch as though loath to leave and encounter the heat of the sunny street.

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Friends have received neat little booklets, entitled, "Reise Britseans Europe," by Dr. Fritz G. Steuber. The letters being particularly about Germany, his fatherland.

The following invitations were issued this week:

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Hutchins request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Mary

to Mr. Frank Freer, of Faro, N. Dakota. On Wednesday morning, June 19th, 1901, at 7 o'clock, at St. Rose's church, Lima, Ohio.

Reception at nine o'clock, 411 north Metcalf street.

Miss Stella Louhan, of north West street, entertained at a 6 o'clock dinner Tuesday, in honor of Mrs. Stephen Ryan and daughter, of Atlanta, Georgia, and Mrs. S. L. Woods, of Columbus, Ohio.

TYPEWRITERS: 25 brand new, latest model Manhattans, manufacturer's price \$75, while they last \$40.00 each takes them. Shipped privilege of trial and examination free. F. S. Webster Co., 315 Broadway, N. Y.

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TALK

Raised Again About Canal Railroad.

A Syndicate to Build a Line for Passengers and Freight Costing Millions.

A Cleveland dispatch says a syndicate has secured control of the Miami & Erie canal between Toledo and Cincinnati and that it will make the route a thoroughfare for passengers as well freight. The dispatch further says that when the line is completed it will have in its equipment sleeping and dining cars. Work, it is stated, will begin at once on the Cincinnati end. To construct the line from Cincinnati to Dayton will require about \$3,000,000 and from Dayton to Toledo \$5,000,000 more. The dispatch is somewhat in conflict with the statements of the Fordyce company. The Fordyce company represented that it intended to use the berm bank of the canal for a track on which to operate electric motors, to pull a fleet of boats for freight transportation only.

Thomas Winship, second district examiner of stationary engineers, will be at the Hotel Norval, June 19th.

RUBBISH

Was Burning and the Department was Called.

Early this morning some one set fire to a pile of rubbish in Cherry alley near the Banta candy factory and seeing the smoke rolling over the building some one at the Buckeye building sent in a fire alarm, believing that the candy factory was on fire. Number 61 was sounded and the department turned out.

REV. MANNING

Explains Why the Lecture was Not Announced.

A number of persons have asked why Father Manning did not announce the lecture of Dr. Henry Austin Adams from the altar. The explanation of it as given by Father Manning is this: The law of the Cleveland diocese says, "societies that are organized for benevolent purposes, and whose benefits are confined to their own members, or societies that are organized for private ends and interests cannot be permitted to appeal to the public by picnics, excursions, festivals, suppers, lectures, etc., to raise funds for their own private use and benefit. Public appeals must be for public charities and societies cannot be permitted to appeal to the public, except when the monies so raised are to be used for, and in the interest of some public charity."

The exercises will open with the invocation, followed by music, and after the address the members of the class will participate in the following numbers:

Music—Double duet, The Golden Blow or Sunset Fades.

Helen I. Badeau, Clara Povenmire, Frances M. Lawlor, Dora W. Herold.

Class History

Bertha W. Borges, Matilda L. Robinson, Edna M. Goodnow, Laura Frail, Leanne K. Saunders, Frank N. Wallace.

Class Ode

C. Lenore Detwiler.

Class Prophecy

Marian Smith, Randi Zetlitz, Bertha Wilhelm, John Carlton Albert, Earl G. Swan, Floyd Mattice.

Music

Class Will

Walter B. Carnes.

Class Address and Presentation of Class Key

Viva A. Eaton.

Presentation of diplomas

Mr. Grant M. Sprague, president of the board of education.

Class Song

Written by Cora Biddinger and music by Clara L. Povenmire.

Benediction

The class of 1901, numbers thirty and is composed of the following:

John Carlton Albert, Walter Baldwin

Leon K. Laney, Charles Linson, Floyd Mattice, Harry G. Oliphant, Earl Garfield, Swan, Frank N. Wallace, Kenneth M. Watt, Helen L. Badeau, Cora Biddinger, Bertha Borges, C. Lenora Detwiler, Viva A. Eaton, Laura Frail, Edna Maude Goodnow, Dora Wilhelmina Herold, Laura Hireland, Etta M. Johnson, Frances Mary Lawlor, Alice Faden, Clara L. Povenmire, Matilda L. Robinson, Leanne K. Saunders, Edna Scott, Laura Marian Smith, Josephine A. Snyder, Bertha Wilhelm, Randi Zetlitz.

Tickets were distributed to the class this morning and the chart has been placed at Melville's drug store, where seats can be reserved for 15 cents.

SALE

Clover Leaf is a
Block

o the Scheme

the Purchasers of the
Detroit Southern.

Vanderbilts Gobbled it for an
Outlet to the Michigan
Central

It is Believed Now That it
will Change the Financial At-
titude of the D. & L. N.
and O. S. Consolidation.

comes now from what can be
read that the report of the sale
of Toledo, St. Louis & Western
Clover Leaf—to the Vanderbilts
at some time based upon fact. It has
generally believed that the Van-
derbilts have had their eye upon the
territory for some time past, as a pos-
sible outlet for the Michigan Central
& Southwest. If it has been ac-
quired at this time the supposition is
that it will be used for that purpose.
The addition of the Clover Leaf will
make a valuable one for the Michigan
Central, as it will enable that road
to compete on an equal footing, as far
as Toledo as least, with the Wa-

shington, which has become an aggressor
in the Eastern field. The
extends, on what should be a
short course, from Toledo to St. Louis,
its lines being 450 miles in length.
The total liabilities upon this
amount to about \$26,000,000, divided
into \$1,250,000 common stock, \$5,805,000 preferred stock,
\$9,000,000 funded debt. In ad-
dition to the fixed charges being run-
ning, the road has been only a moderate
success until lately, when it was taken
over by new parties.

Then its physical condition de-
manded so much attention that the
operation and maintenance eat
out of the earnings which did not
have been applied to meeting the fix-
tures. It is confidently believed
however, that should the Vander-
bilts hold on to it, and establish the
track popular with their sys-
tem and adopt a refunding scheme
which would free the property of some
burden, it might not only be a
useful adjunct to the Michigan Central,
but also be a paying investment.

The prime reason for its ac-
quisition, however, is considered to be
the peace in the territory that
was set on fire by rate demoraliza-

Vanderbilt maneuver is con-
sidered an effective block to the
efforts of the Listmans to connect
with the Detroit Southern. The
amount of money provided in the
consolidation scheme of the Detroit
Southern caused some of those to wonder
what was the intention of such an
expensive financial movement. This
is explained by the desire of persons
to possess themselves of the
Clover Leaf, which was to be a
part of the system. If the Vander-
bilts secured themselves in the
territory of the Clover Leaf the
attitude of the Detroit Southern
would change, and the new road will
have no greater pretensions than
those from Weston to Detroit.

Start Interlocking Plant.

New interlocking plant at
Lima, Ohio, on the Pittsburgh road, went
into operation at 12 o'clock
Those in attendance at the
opening of the plant were Mr. Rhea,
chief signal supt.; Mr. Johnson,
chief signal spt.; Mr. H. W. Hill,
secretary and the officials
of the Ohio Central railroad. The
plant has forty levers.

Pennsylvania Annual Report.

Annual report of the Pennsyl-
vania system which will be submitted
to stockholders in a few days,
but there was an increase in
the average rate per ton per mile on
all lines last year. There was an
increase in operating expenses,
aggregate tonnage moved on all
lines during the year was 73,289,
an increase over 1899 of 77,243.

Number of passengers carried
51,495, an increase of 1,296.

Average rate received per ton
on all lines was 6.3 mills, as
compared with 5.6 mills in 1899, an in-
crease of .7 mills per ton per mile.

An average increase in the
movement from 4.2 mills to 4.7

as compared with 4.4 mills
during the year.

There was a very slight increase re-

Master Commissioners' Sale

June 13th, 1901,

**At 1 O'clock P.M., (East Door of Court House,) We Will Offer
the Following Described Real Estate:**

PARCEL No. 2—Described as in lots No. 147, 148, 149 and 150 known as the property lying between Post Office and City Building and has a frontage on High street of 100 feet and a depth of 200 feet, appraised at \$30,000.00; also the property on Elizabeth street, between Post Office and Young Mens Christian Association, has a frontage

of 80 feet and a depth of 102 feet 1½ inches, appraised at \$14,000.00. Total appraisement of Parcel No. 2 \$44,000.

PARCEL NO. 3—A tract of land situated in the southwest, 1/4 of section 29, in township 3 north, of range 7 east, containing 26 acres and faces to the south of the Pennsylvania Ry Co. and on the

west the Lima Northern Ry Co. and Sugar street. Appraised at \$1820.00

PARCEL NO. 5—Described as the west seventy-five of in lot 146, containing 75 feet on west High street opposite Post Office by 50 feet in depth. Appraised at \$10,000.00.

PARCEL NO. 6—in lots 1498 and 1499,

present numbering in the H. A. Moore addition, and situated on east High street. Appraised at \$250.00 a lot.

PARCEL NO. 7—Being that part of out lot No. 219, present numbering, and facing Sugar street in the east, and running west with the Lima Northern Ry Co., switch, containing about 5 acres. Appraised at \$500.00.

This Property will be Offered in Parcels and Sold to the Highest Bidder at Two-Thirds of Appraisement or Better. If you are Interested in Desirable Real Estate Attend this Sale.

**GUS. KALB,
GEO. H. MEILY, | Master Commissioners.**

FREE

Will be the Opening Event.

Matinee Club

Offers a Fine Program for Friday

And the Public, Especially the Ladies, is Cordially Invited.

A Free-for-all Pace in Which the Best Side-vehiclers Will be Entered, and a Half Mile Running Race.

If the weather remains favorable the first event under the auspices of the Lima Matinee Driving Club which takes place next Friday afternoon at the fair grounds, will be largely attended, as the racing fever is breaking out now that there is an assurance of both horses and track being in condition for record smashing.

The club this year is much larger and there is an active interest shown by the members who have leased the grounds as much for their individual pleasure as for any financial benefit it may be. Lima is a good horse town says those who know, and this statement is as true in regard to fine breeding as it is in the turning out of speedy harness performers.

The matinee races last year were well attended and society gave them its sanction. There seemed to be as much interest in the rivalry when owners were on the seat as would have been occasioned by the presence of foreign horses, with the reins in the hands of men famed for their professional tactics.

The programs were always good and as a result the close of the season saw an ever increase in the attendance and the crowds always came away well pleased with the afternoon's entertainment. This season will be better

than ever and especially does the program for Friday offer an inducement to those who love racing, plenty of it and of the kind that brings out the true mettle of the horse and driver. Four events are scheduled, and they include a 2:30 trot, a green trot, a free for all pace and a half mile run.

There is certainly variety enough for everybody and those who are not bound entirely to the harness performers will have a chance to witness a spirited race between clean limbed runners, mounted by jockeys who glory in coming under the wire with the winner.

The free for all pace will be the grand event of the day, as some of the best side wheelers ever nurtured in Lima will be driven, and the time will be several fractions below the 20 mark.

The treat in store is well worth a fair price of admission, but the Matinee club, which is noted for its liberality, announces that not only admittance to the grounds but also to the grand stand will be absolutely free to everybody, and the ladies especially are invited. As an additional attraction Dame hand has been secured, and during the heats will render its inspiring music. The street railroad has promised the best of service and plenty of cars will be provided so that there will be no annoying waits either going to or returning from the grounds.

The racing will start promptly at 1:30 and starter and judges will bring the horses out for scoring with as little delay as possible.

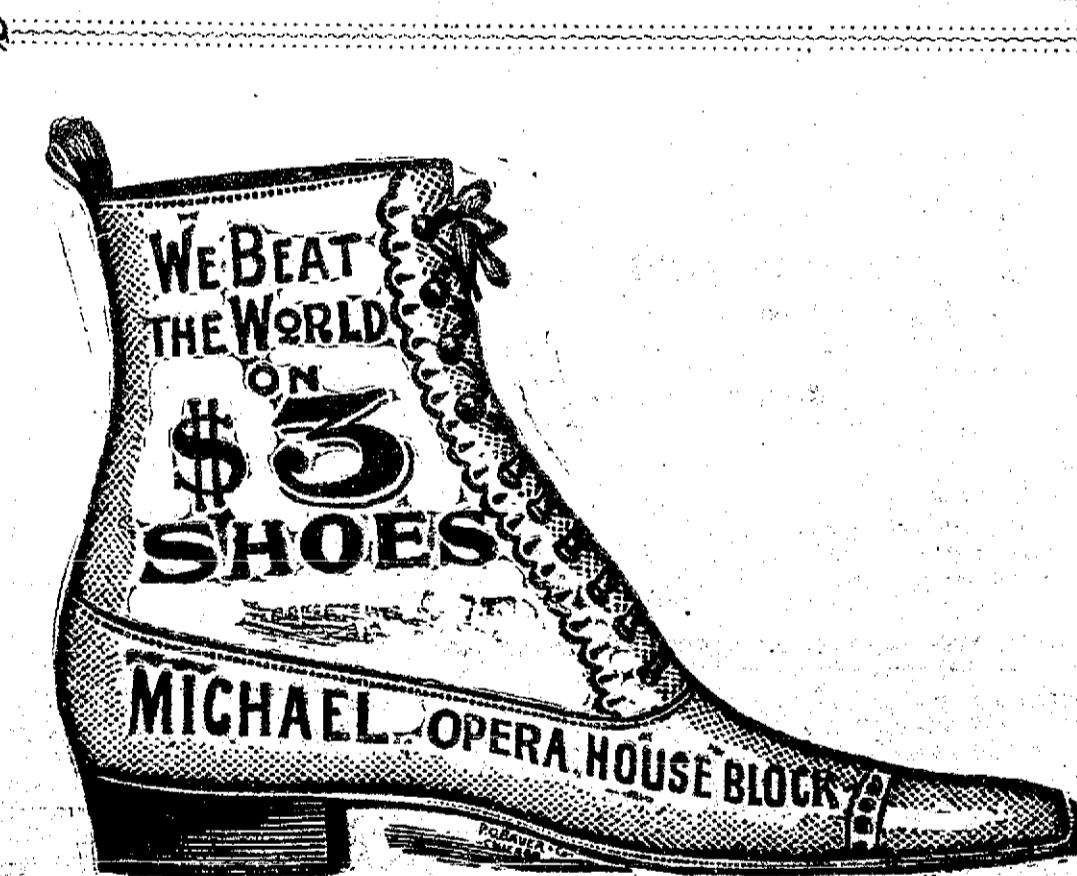
When you ask your druggist for Broome-Pepsi, be sure you get it. Note the word Pepsi. All druggists 10c, 25c, and 50 cents per bottle.

WATER WORKS NOTICE.

Water rents on all services not metered are due and payable semi-annually in advance on the first days of January and July, each year. By a recent order of the board of trustees the secretary was ordered to notify all who are in arrears for the January payment that unless paid by July 1, 1901, the water will be turned off from their residences. By order of the board of trustees.

Bowsher & Reichelderfer have dissolved partnership, and the business will be carried on by W. N. Bowsher in Crider'sville, O.

Dyspepsia—bane of human existence. Burdock Blood Bitters cures it, promptly, permanently. Regulates and tones the stomach.



Our \$3.00 Shoes for Men and Women are beauties. We have them in Patent Leather, Patent Kid, Vici Kid and Velour, in light or heavy extension soles.

BEN'S WIFE

Sues for a Divorce at Upper Sandusky.

WANTED.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework in small family. Good wages paid. Inquire of Mrs. O. B. Selfridge, 656 west Market street.

WANTED—Three seamstresses at once. Mrs. Fribbie, S. W. corner Elizabeth and Market streets. 99ft

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Must be well recommended and reliable. To such a girl a permanent place will be provided at good wages. Call at once on Mrs. Frank E. Mead, 624 west High street.

Ben Lansis is the two time convict whose disclosures resulted in the arrest of the Foster gang for the Johnson murder, and he is well known here especially by the police.

FOR RENT—Furnished room, Cail at 250 Spencer road. 6-31

FOR RENT—Six room house, good cellar and summer kitchen. Inquire at 609 north Elizabeth street. 6-31

WANTED—Sewers to build. I am now prepared to contract for the construction of private sewers, connections etc., all work guaranteed. Dave Finrock, 154 south Pine street. Leave orders at Fidelity Coal Co. office.

FOR RENT—A new 7 room house with modern conveniences on east High street; also barn if wanted. Inquire at 317 north Union street. \$14 per month.

LOST—Medicine case. Finder please return to 112 west Spring street. receive reward.

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Wetmore's Best is a navy tobacco. If you like navy tobacco and don't like Wetmore's Best, the dealer will return your money if he knows you bought it of him.



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A Travel Point Pan-American Exposition

THE Pan-American, to be held at Buffalo, N. Y., May 1 to Nov. 1, will be one of the greatest and most beautiful expositions the world has known. To enjoy its beauties will be worth any effort. The question of traveling to and from Buffalo is one to be carefully considered. When you buy your ticket you will wish to feel satisfied that you have selected wisely. You will desire to travel by the route affording the most comfort and interest. The return trip, too, must be considered, as after you have done the Exposition, Buffalo, Niagara Falls and vicinity, you'll be tired and wish to reach home quickly.

The Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Railway

as the leading line to Buffalo by reason of the frequency and certainty of its service and through direct connections at Chicago, Toledo, Sandusky, Cleveland and other cities along its line will best meet every requirement in journeying to the Pan-American from the west, southwest and a greater part of south. Its service is the most complete and frequent of any line, and it is recognized as the most comfortable of American railways. The country traversed is the fairest and richest of the Middle States—the most interesting on the way to Buffalo. Our "Book of Trains" contains full information about Lake Shore service. Sent free on request. Look it through carefully.

A. J. SMITH, G. P. & T. A., Cleveland, O.

NORTHWESTERN OHIO FIREMAN'S VOLUNTEER ASSOCIATION MEETING.

Excursion Rates to Bowling Green via Ohio Central Lines from St. Marys branch, Peoria, Marion and all stations north. Tickets on sale June 18 and 19, good returning until June 20th, at rate of One Fare Round Trip.

For tickets and full information call on agents Ohio Central Lines.

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CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Signature of Chas H. Fletcher

Sound to Enjoy Herself.

"Now, dear," said mamma, giving instructions to Elsie, who is going to take tea with a playmate, "when you are asked if you will have something you must say: 'Yes, thank you,' and if you don't want you must say—"

"Oh, you needn't bother about that," Elsie interrupted, "I don't expect to refuse anything." —Philadelphia Press.

A Sprained Ankle Quickly Cured.

"At one time I suffered from a severe sprain of the ankle," says Geo. E. Cary, editor of the Guide, Washington, Va. "After using several well recommended medicines without success, I tried Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and am pleased to say that relief came as soon as I began its use and a complete cure speedily followed." Sold by all druggists.

NEW PIPE FOR SMOKERS.

Aluminum Tubing Utilized to Eliminate the "Burn."

Smokers, especially those who use the pipe, will be interested in a new invention by Frederick W. Flint, night editor of the Chicago Record-Herald. It is a pipe of novel design that promises to give smokers the unalloyed joys of elysium. My lady Nicotine will become a more fascinating enchantress than ever before, for there will be no venom to endanger the health. The new pipe eliminates the baneful poison from the smoke, and the lover of the weed will be able to indulge in his pleasure without fear of a tobacco heart or of a nicotine saturated with nicotine. No longer need the tongue be burned for the new pipe rolls the weed of its sting long before the whiffing stage is reached. Experts in the pipe business say Mr. Flint has worked out an idea that may cause a revolution in the trade.

The secret of the pipe is in its stem, which is ingeniously contrived to intercept the nicotine and increase the smoker's enjoyment as well as to promote his health. The stem consists of a series of small aluminum tubes, connected at each end with chambers so constructed as to form one continuous smoke passage from the bowl to the mouthpiece. In principle the pipe is akin to a steam radiator, except that the steam in the radiator warms the air in the room, while in the pipe the air cools the smoke in the tubes. It is impossible for a person to burn his tongue while smoking this pipe.

Another important feature in this connection is the fact that while the smoke is being cooled all the moisture in the smoke is condensed and deposited on the surface of the tubes. This settles in the large chambers at the lower end of the stem. When these chambers are nearly full, the smoke in passing from one tube to another causes the nicotine to make a bubbling sound, warning the smoker that it is time to remove the tube section from the lower plug and shake out the nicotine. This having been done and the pipe replaced, smoking can be resumed without fear of getting a flow of nicotine into the mouth, an unpleasant experience common in using the ordinary pipe.

All pipes where the smoke does not pass through water in time become foul. To thoroughly cleanse this pipe it is only necessary to have a bowl of hot water (or a cup of alcohol if preferred), remove the mouthpiece and attach in its stead the pump which accompanies the pipe. A few strokes of the pump are sufficient to wash out the stem in a satisfactory manner, leaving it practically as clean and fresh as when it was new.

SMALL F, PLEASE, SAYS WU

The Chinese Minister Tells Us How to Spell His Name.

"Please use a small 'F' in spelling my name."

This is in effect the appeal which Minister Wu, the duly accredited representative of his imperial Chinese ministry in this country, has sent broadcast to every printer in the United States, says the Philadelphia Press. Heretofore they have been spelling his last name with a capital "F," but it was not until a few days ago, when he sent a courteous note to the agents of the Southern Industrial convention in Philadelphia requesting that they print his name "Wu Ting-fang" and not "Wu Ting Fang," that the error was discovered.

Agent Kaufman, to whom the letter was sent, at once began an investigation and discovered that the change from "upper case 'F'" to "lower case" makes all the difference in the world to the polished Chinaman. The "fang" at the end of his name is simply a small descriptive part of the title and not the full surname, as many wrongly suppose. Besides, the change in the type means considerable from a Chinese diplomatic standpoint.

MORGAN'S NEW BANK.

Anglo-American Wins \$1,000,000,000 Capital May Be Created.

It is reported in London that J. Pierpont Morgan is engaged in arranging for the establishment of a great Anglo-American bank, with a capital of \$1,000,000,000, according to the New York World's correspondent. It is proposed to abolish all of the principal financial agencies and banks already engaged in Anglo-American business.

The proposed institution, it is said, is intended to be the principal agency for the already vast and rapidly growing banking transactions between Europe and America. Mr. Morgan is understood to have associated with him in the stupendous undertaking not only the principal capitalists who aided in the organization of the billion dollar steel trust, but also the Rothschilds.

It is said that Mr. Morgan has had in mind for a considerable period the creation of a single great institution which would dominate not only the banking business passing to and fro between America and Europe, but would practically dictate the financial operations of the world.

Kinross Viaduct to Be Surpassed.

French engineers are about to begin the construction of a viaduct which, it is claimed, will be thrown higher into the air than the lofty causeway in the Shins or Lacs mountains in southeastern Asia or than any other building of the kind in the world. This will be known as the viaduct of Fades and is to be flung over the valley of the Sioule, which the Orleans railway line crosses between Montlucon, in the Allier, and Clermont-Ferrand, in the Puy-de-Dome. The construction is to be of steel, and the cost is estimated at £12,000.

SALT CURE FOR TYPHOID

New Theory Developed by Dr. W. Byron Coalkey.

EXPERIMENTS TRIED ON DOGS.

Paper Read Before the National Medical Association the Chinese Tell of Success With Saline Injections—How Organic Trouble Is Treated.

Common salt as a cure for typhoid fever and other acute organic diseases was discussed by Dr. W. Byron Coalkey of Chicago in a paper that aroused much interest at a recent session in St. Paul of the materia medica section of the American Medical Association.

Dr. Coalkey has evolved a new theory as the result of a series of experiments on dogs followed with practical applications on human patients, says the Chicago Record-Herald. He declares that in acute organic diseases the saline injection can be administered locally to the diseased organ with marked success. He has prepared an extensive paper on the subject, which he will read before the international medical congress at Paris.

In the short time allowed him the other day Dr. Coalkey gave a brief account of some of his experiments and the conclusions at which he had arrived. In a large number of cases he relieved dogs when life was just dexterating away, injecting a saline solution directly into the blood.

In one case he bled the animal until heart action had almost ceased, then injected a hot saline solution. No immediate effect was observed, but at the end of five minutes the heart began to beat stronger, and in 30 minutes the pulse was 110 and respiration 40. The dog was entirely recovered in a few days. In another case, after bleeding the animal till life was almost extinct, the saline solution was injected in three places, 12 ounces being turned on the brain, 30 in the left jugular and another injection in the body. The dog was then put in an ice bath for three minutes, followed by a hot salt bath. Its pulse speedily ran up to 140 under the stimulation, then down again to 110, but the animal recovered.

Further, Dr. Coalkey recounted experiments on separate organs. Using a fine needle, the injection can be made without permanent injury except in the case of the heart. He declared that he had made the injection into over 100 lungs without injury. He found by actual experiments on living animals that a saline injection in the liver rapidly increases the secretion of bile and that a marked effect on the kidneys is produced by similar treatment.

In treating organic trouble, he said, the greatest possible local action is first necessary, followed by the injection into the general circulation. There are various reasons advanced why the injection should increase metabolic activity. It is either by virtue of saline solution itself or the heated liquid application or the effort of the organ to throw off the foreign matter.

Dr. Coalkey did not describe his application of the saline solution to human patients, but declared that he has had uniform success with it and does not hesitate to use it. He described one remarkable experiment. By repeated trials he determined that the saline solution will absorb carbonic acid gas. Now, 10 per cent of the gas is deadly poison. He bled a dog one-third, then injected carbonic acid gas until the animal was in a comatose condition, then revived it with the salt injection.

Having satisfied himself, he decided to kill the dog and forced the gas into its jugular with a 35 pound pressure until the animal was stiff and showed no signs of life. He then threw it aside, but a few minutes later observed motion. He picked it up and found the respiration normal, the pulse 80. He sewed the animal up, and in an hour it was walking about. It died some days afterward.

Dr. Coalkey is adverse to discussing the subject at this time, preferring not to present the full case until he reads the entire paper before the international congress. Friends of Dr. Coalkey at the Virginia, where he lives, and members of the medical profession who have come in contact with him, speak of him in the highest terms. Dr. Coalkey studied at the Milwaukee Medical college, where he was graduated only a few years ago. He is a bachelor and still under 30 years of age.

Honor to an American Author.

The recent reception of Brander Matthews in the London Athenaeum club after 18 years of waiting for the distinction is an honor of no mean importance, says Harper's Bulletin of Literary Gossip. Professor Matthews was originally nominated by Matthew Arnold nearly a score of years ago. When it is remembered what a long and honorable waiting list belongs to the Athenaeum, one realizes the rarity of the honor.

The Santa Fe is 1,000 feet lower than the spot where water was struck on Sherman hill, and the day may come when some enterprising man will strike artesian water on the mesas at the foot of the range and thus open the way for reclaiming the fertile lands that surround this city.

It is interesting to note in this connection that the United States geological survey through its division of hydrography made extensive investigations last season with very satisfactory results in the arid lands of central California to determine the possibility of locating wells which could be used for irrigation purposes.

This investigation was conducted at the request and with the co-operation of the California Water and Forest association, which bore with the government half the expense.

Fratres Por American Locomotives.

The American locomotives on the Bengal Central railway are most satisfactory, says the Calcutta Correspondent of the New York Sun. The report of the Indian government engineers on the bridge over the gorge at Gokteik, Burma, built by the Pennsylvania Steel company, is to the effect that it is a triumph of engineering skill.

The native press is advocating the placing

further orders for railway material in the United States on the score of its

strength and durability.

WOULD ALTER NIAGARA.

Washington Man Submits Remarkable Proposition.

Joseph I. Keefer of Washington has submitted to the Niagara falls commission a plan to cut away a portion of Goat Island, build an abutment and connect the American and Canadian falls in one grand torrent of water, says the Buffalo Courier.

"My idea," said Mr. Keefer the other day, "is to build a great giant wall or abutment, with a steep top or coping that cannot be washed away and let the water from both sides of the island gracefully glide over the dam or stone esplanade, thus making one continuous stream of pure white water from the jet of one shore to the jet of the other."

"I conceived the idea," he said, "when I was at the falls the other day. I was standing over on the Canadian side where the old British museum used to be, and looking across, the thought struck me how much prettier the falls would be if they were not broken by Goat Island. Then I set to work to think how the improvement could be made. When I reached what I believe is a feasible plan, I made inquiries when the commission would meet and finding it was to convene on the following day, strolled over and attended its meeting at the Prospect House.

The commissioners seemed much taken with the idea and wondered why no one had ever thought of it before. They told me they would have their engineer figure on it and make an estimate of the cost and that they would correspond with me regarding the matter later. For further consideration of the matter I was referred to Andrew Green of New York."

Asked how much he estimated the cost of the improvement would be, Mr. Keefer said:

"That is hard to say, but I am of the opinion it would not run over \$50,000 or \$60,000, which would be a small price to pay for such an improvement. I shall bring the matter before the governor of New York and through him again to the attention of the falls commissioners.

"The people ought to be interested in this improvement, for it will make a new falls at Niagara. It will stimulate the interest of those who have never seen the falls before, while those who have seen them will be anxious to come again to see what has been done to preserve and improve one of the greatest American wonders."

Mr. Keefer already enjoys distinction as being the man who raised the first American flag in Alaska. He is also a cousin of General George Washington.

INFORMATION FOR MARINERS

Valuable Daily Publication Issued by the Naval Hydrographic Office.

The naval hydrographic office at Washington has just issued the first copy of a daily publication calculated to be of great benefit to mariners on the Atlantic and designed to supplement the excellent work accomplished for many years by this branch of the service.

It is a daily memorandum of wreck, ice and fog reports for the north Atlantic and is said to be mailed every night except Wednesday to the branch hydrographic offices on the eastern seaboard at Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Norfolk and Savannah, says the New York Tribune. Hitherto the hydrographic office has published its monthly pilot chart of the north Atlantic, presenting graphically the conditions and positions of dangerous reefs, floating ice and other menaces to navigation, and this chart has been supplemented by weekly bulletins issued Wednesdays, giving the latest reports from incoming ships for the benefit of outward bound vessels about to leave ports. This information, which has proved of great benefit to shipmen sailing on Saturdays, has, however, lost some of its freshness in the early part of the week following, particularly for vessels sailing from Philadelphia and Baltimore, which have a voyage of 36 hours before reaching the open sea and are often exposed to dangers which have been reported in the meantime near the coast. The new daily memoranda for the present will be manifested by a simple process, as no appropriation is available for printing.

ARTESIAN WATER FOUND AT SANTA FE.

The Santa Fe New Mexican, in publishing a dispatch from Wyoming regarding the interesting discovery of artesian water on Sherman hill, which is over 8,000 feet above the level of the ocean, remarks that "Santa Fe is 1,000 feet lower than the spot where water was struck on Sherman hill, and the day may come when some enterprising man will strike artesian water on the mesas at the foot of the range and thus open the way for reclaiming the fertile lands that surround this city."

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FRASER'S NEW STAMPS FIRE.

The first stamps to be issued by the British government bearing the imprint of King Edward VII will be a complete set for use in the Transvaal, says a London newspaper.

The government designers are now at work on the pattern, which is understood to be

a profile of his majesty, on a back-

ground of deep carmine.

At the same time the imprint of the king when

Prince of Wales has been used by one

or two of the colonies.

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dressing

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the story of a socialist colony being
founded there is without any founda-
tion whatever. I have no designs what-
ever upon the farm or the good people
of Metuchen beyond occasionally help-
ing my father to raise potatoes and
onions and enjoying the luxury of being
left alone in peace and quiet."For time tables and further information
apply to F. M. Eakin, ticket
agent, Lima, Ohio.

F. C. McCOY, Agent.

Call at Wm. M. Melville's drug
store, old post office corner, and get a
free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach
and Liver Tablets. They are an
elegant physic. They also improve the
appetite, strengthen the digestion and
regulate the liver and bowels. They
are easy to take and pleasant in effect.

CASCARETS

"I'm Kind You Have Always Bought
Signature
C. H. & D. RAILROADSay, pop," said little Willie, "what
kind of fruit comes from an ambush?""A bury," replied the old man. And
silence reigned.

FARM & GARDEN

NEWEST CELERY CULTURE

Easy and Rapid Marking and Irrigating—Blanching With Boards.

For marking the ground, making
holes in which to set the plants and ap-
plying water I have a homemade ma-
chine which rapidly does the work. I

can best describe it by saying it is a

two-wheeled cart carrying a small wa-
ter tank. It is 24 feet wide. The

wheels, made of wood and having

bands of hoop iron, are two feet in

diameter, and the rims are three inches

wide. Pegs made of very hard wood

and sharpened at the ends are placed

will find the greatest chances in the United
States to make "big money" by reason of
the abundance and cheapness of

TURKISH BATHS FOR POOR.

Mayor Fleischmann of Cincinnati
heads Philanthropic Scheme.Mayor Julius Fleischmann, his broth-
er-in-law, Dr. C. B. Holmes, and H. M.
Levy will establish Turkish and shower
baths in Cincinnati for the benefit

of those who are endowed below the

average with worldly goods.

A room 25 by 35 feet has been set

apart for the project in the Union Park-

el. The plans are perfected, and all

that is necessary is to let the contract.

Twelve showers will be provided, with

steam boxes, says the Chicago Inter-

Ocean. There will be attendants on

hand, and two days of the week will

be reserved for women. The charge

will be 3 cents for a shower bath and

15 cents for a Turkish bath. This is

not done with a view to paying ex-

penses, but to help the bathers to pre-

serve their self respect.

The benefactors who have projected

the scheme have been urged by two

motives, one to test the theory that

water is a great civilizer and the other

that there are many ailments from

which the poorer classes are suffering

which can be cured by the use of the

Turkish bath.

Cement For House Construction.

The construction of cement houses is

under consideration in Pittsburgh, where

the millions of tons of furnace slag pro-

duced every year could thus be utilized,

says the New York Post. It has been

shown that this slag can be converted

into cement by known processes at a

less cost than the \$1 a barrel suggested

by Mr. Edison as the result of an in-

vention on which he is experimenting.

This cement, it's claimed, can be made

fully equal to the best that is known

as portland, although a lower and a

cheaper grade would suffice for house

construction, but would make

practically fireproof buildings. Such

use of a product now wasted or used

only to fill ravines would also be pre-

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Both Shows This Year for
One Admission.

For full particulars, call on agents

Lake Erie & Western R. R., or ad-

dressing

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Three Remedies, All Old, but Not Yet

Improved Upon.

Now, bokers are difficult things to

fight under all circumstances, and no

course of treatment is known which

will entirely eradicate them. Never-

theless every one that is killed is just

so much gained for the general good.

There are three practices that have

been found useful, though no one of

them, or all of them combined, will rid

an orchard of an insect that breeds in

so many host trees. They are the same

old remedies recommended many years

ago and which have not since been im-

proved upon.

They consist in protecting by means

of a wash, binding the trunk with pa-

per and digging out the young larva.

Whitewash or whitewash and glue

applied to the trunk and large limbs is

said to have a very beneficial effect.

Laces, Embroideries and Ribbons.

Great activity prevails in these departments, and it is generally admitted that the largest variety, the thoroughly new things are to be seen at this store.

There has never yet been a season when Laces and Ribbons were so lavishly used as this season. Dame Fashion has fixed a place for a bit of Ribbon here and there that nothing else can fill so well. Almost every day brings:

- New Allovers in White, Black and Ecrù.
- New Lace Bands in White, Black, and Ecrù.
- New Laces and Insertings in White, Black and Ecrù.
- New Mechlin and Valenciennes Laces and Insertings.
- New Embroidery Edges, Insertings and Allovers.
- New Liberty Satin and Liberty Taffeta Ribbons.

Feldmann & Co.

209-211 N. Main Street.

Headquarters for Parasols
Headquarters for Shirt Waists.
Big Bargains in Skirts and Tailor-Made Suits.

HERD

Of Buffalos Ready
for a Dash

O'er the Plains

To the Ravines of Their
Secret Wallow

Where Timid Calves from
the Northland Await
Their Fate.

First Turning of the Sud by the
Mighty Herd to Occur on Next
Tuesday Evening—News
of Secret Orders.

The first initiation of candidates into the Benevolent Brotherhood of Buffalo will occur at the regular meeting next Tuesday evening and the event will be celebrated with an informal social session. Applications from three candidates were considered last night and there are many others who have expressed a desire to join the only real herd of Buffaloes in the country.

Elks Capture the City.

Fort Wayne is a vision of purple and white, the colors of the Elks, the decorations being in honor of the state meeting of the order. It will be a week of festivities in the hustling Indian town, the committees outdoing all previous efforts in the attempt to make the affair a success and furnish the visitors plenty of enjoyment. Many distinguished visitors are in attendance and there will be a dense crowd in the city tonight to take in the mardi gras and street carnival.

Officers of the Pathfinders Lodge.

At the last regular meeting of Ontario Lodge No. 11, of the Pathfinder order, the following officers were elected:

Charles Richards, president; O. E. Bennett, vice president; W. G. South, sergeant-at-arms; A. E. Hess, guide;

BY GAS

A Young Man Named Gottfried was Overcome.

About 2 o'clock this afternoon a man named Gottfried, living at 536 north Jackson street, while working in a trench over a gas line that had been tapped at High and Cole streets, was overcome by the gas. He was removed to his home in Grosjean's ambulance and soon recovered.

OPERA HOUSE

Friday evening, June 14th.
Henry Austin Adams on
"The Theatre." Box office
now open.

ANOTHER EXCURSION TO TOLEDO

Sunday, June 16th, via C. H. & D.,
only \$1.25 for the round trip.

NEXT

Session to be Held
in Celina

Next Summer.

Conference is Brought
to a Close

With a Scholarly Lecture
Delivered by a Colored
Orator.

Rev. W. H. Leatherman Congratulated for His Excellent Management of the Details of the Session.

Despite the excessive heat quite a large number attended the afternoon session of the conference in session at Grace M. E. Church in south Lima. In the unavoidable absence of Mesdames Hall and Pope who were to speak upon the Woman's Home Missionary Society, and the Foreign Missionary Society, Rev. Dr. D. G. Strong, in an interesting address upon the subject of "Help Those Women," extolled the valiant efforts of the women in the missionary societies who by their consecration to this noble work have brought the kindly light of Christianity to many souls at home and abroad. From statistics he showed the extensive work accomplished. He urged in the force of these commendable parts that each minister of the conference redouble efforts to help along the grand work being conducted by the women of the church of whom he spoke in the most flattering terms.

With bated interest the audience awaited Miss Juliette E. Wilcox's introduction to a south Lima audience with many of whom she labored incessantly last winter for the advancement of the exalted cause she represents. Her subject was the "Deaconess work." She explained how they are constructed, licensed and conduct their arduous tasks. Miss Wilcox very much favored the employment in every parish of a Deaconess; also a trained nurse. Her entire address was interesting and favorably received. The most entertaining address of the session was made by Rev. B. W. Anderson, who spoke with upon "Quack Methods in Church Work." With keen wit, burning sarcasm, pointed satire he exposed the forgeries, shame and abuses of ministerial duties. Quacking in the church was roundly scored in strong but pleasing language the speaker amusing the ministers while exposing their faults. He concluded with an eloquent peroration. His suggestions were warmly commended to the conference by the presiding elder, Dr. Mills, who took occasion to briefly review the address which he approved in every particular.

After this Rev. G. W. Smith, pastor of the south Main street Presbyterian church, with his sister, the deaconess, were formally presented to the conference, the members of which rose in acknowledgement. By special request Miss Smith delivered a brief address relative to deaconess work.

CLOSING
Exercises of the Conference Were
Largely Attended.

Last night Grace M. E. church was filled to its capacity by an eager audience to witness the last session of one of the most successful conferences ever held in Lima district. After an inspiring song service by the choral society of fifty voices, ably conducted by Pro. Charles Peitier, eloquent obituary in honor of the late Rev. Barker, was read by Rev. W. F. Maltbie, the comrade and friend of the deceased minister. This was followed by singing by the Grace church quartette who acquitted themselves creditably. In a few well-chosen remarks Rev. Dr. Mills, presiding elder, introduced the speaker of the evening, Rev. M. C. B. Mason, D. D., of Cincinnati, secretary of the Freedmen's Aid and Southern Educational Society. Dr. Mason is a typical negro in appearance, but the audience soon lost consciousness of his race in the flood of unexcelled eloquent oratory. He completely captured his large audience at the very start by the designation of the mode, tense and congegation of the negro, which abounded in bubbling mirth, intense original wit, and amusing delineation. Coming to his subject proper, he earnestly told of the patriotism of his people while yet wearing the shackles. In beautiful figurative language he told of the negro with one hand upon the door. We deliver goods.

knob of his master's mansion to protect the inmates, extended the other in welcome to the soldiers of the north. He said that with the exception of the Mexican war, which was for the purpose of obtaining more territory upon which to propagate the slavery of his people the negro was always found in the thickest of the fray fighting for the country in which he had not even a name. He made the historic declaration that the first shot fired and the first blood spilled in defense of the infant republic during the Revolution was that of a patriot negro. He explained the condition in contrast to the freeing of slaves in other countries of the emancipation in America of the negro slaves ever were thrust out into the world without a single resource with which to prepare for the future. The speaker illustrated how despite all disadvantages the negro had urged forward and with the assistance of the Freedmen's Aid society was today receiving helpful instruction from twenty thousand teachers in the south who were educating the black man and solving the race problem in a rapid, satisfactory manner. At their institutions of learning all over the south the head, heart and hand of the negro is educated, none being allowed to graduate until they are competent tradesmen.

His lengthy discourse was attentively listened to, his wit, argument, wisdom, patriotism, sincerity and eloquence invoking repeated applause. His audience was in entire sympathy with all his remarks which were interesting and instructive. The beautiful lecture tended much to abolish deep seated prejudice.

It was a dissertation which could have been heard by many of his people who unfortunately missed this grand opportunity for valuable instruction. However Dr. Mason will be recalled later to lecture more particularly to his own people. All who heard him are enthusiastic in his praise as in him is exemplification of the possibilities of the negro. Rev. Leatherman has been warmly congratulated for securing the lecture at this time.

After the lecture Holy communion services were to have been conducted but the presiding elder ordered the services for a week from next Sunday at Grace church. Benediction was pronounced by Dr. Mason, which concluded the conference, which was one of the best attended, interesting and mutually helpful for many years.

Much of the success will be attributed to Rev. W. H. Leatherman, who arranged the details. He was especially thanked in an official formal manner by the conference for the efficient manner in which he cared for the visiting ministers and performed the many trying duties of his position as secretary. He was commanded in conference for the efficient manner in which he had arranged and kept the records which were in a confused condition when he took charge.

Much honor belongs to Rev. Dr. Mills, the presiding elder, who so wisely and patiently presided over the important deliberations of the conference.

The next meeting of the conference will be held at Celina upon a date yet to be decided upon by the presiding elder.

FOR THE PUBLIC.

Postmaster Hall has made arrangements to receive registered letters at the general delivery window after the register window closes in the evening. Letters can now be registered until 7 o'clock p. m.

Central Passenger Association Mileage Orders.

On and after June 1st, the Erie railroad and Chicago & Erie R. R. will sell and accept interchangeable mileage exchange orders. These orders are good on all Erie Lines west of Buffalo and Salamanca.

Golf 5c. Golf 5c.

Delicious Drinks.

Our Soda Drinks are good
drinks for you to drink during
these sweltering days.
They cool and refresh.

Ice Cream Soda 10c.
Worth it.

The Enterprise
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Telephone us your wants.
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Thomson Dry Goods Co.

Shirt Waists 98c.

Splendid assortment of Colored Wash Waists in fine Ginghams, Madras and Percale; all new, fresh and up-to-date; French back, straight front effect and bishop sleeve; regular value \$1.25 and \$1.50, at

98c Each.

Summer Cottage and Bedroom Curtains.

A great stock of Ruffled Muslin Curtains for the bedroom or summer cottage hangings, excellent qualities, splendid styles, plain muslin, dots or stripes; at special prices.

Per Pair 50c, 75c, 89c and \$1.00.

New Satin and Silkoleen Draperies, at 15c the yard.

New White Curtain Muslins, stripes, dots and figures.

Special at 10c the Yard.

Summer Sale of Muslin Underwear.

These are representative values that have brought us such splendid trade in this Department. Every garment can be depended upon to be liberally cut, well and neatly made. All styles are strictly up-to-date, all materials and trimmings first-class.

Night Gowns.

V Neck Muslin Gowns, tucked yoke, neck and sleeves trimmed with cambric ruffle, and Mother Hubbard Gowns with high neck, yoke of tucks and insertion, neck and sleeves trimmed with cambric ruffle.

Special Price 50c Each.

Muslin Gowns, V neck or high neck, tucked yoke or yoke of insertion and tucks, neck and sleeves trimmed with hemstitched lawn ruffle.

75c Each.

Muslin Gown, Empire style, wide lace and tucks on collar and across front, sleeves trimmed with lace, a dollar gown.

For 78 Cents.

Empire Gown of fine cambric, front of fine embroidery, edge and insertion, collar and sleeves trimmed with wide hemstitched lawn ruffle.

Special at 89c.

V Neck Cambric Gown with yoke of lace insertion and tucks, neck and sleeves trimmed with lace; a garment worth \$1.25.

Our Special Price 89c.

Skirts.

3 styles handsome Cambric Skirts with wide umbrella flounce of hemstitched lawn tucked, trimmed with lace and insertion, difficult to describe them, they're all three exceptional values at

\$1.00 Each.

Fine Muslin and Cambric Skirts, made in a variety of styles that are all new, splendid Skirts at

\$1.25 Each.

Fine Cambric Underskirts with deep flounce of cluster tucks and insertion, finished with lawn ruffle tucks and lace edge.

\$1.50 Each.

Corset Covers.

Many new styles opened this week, choice dainty hot weather designs, French covers with long front effect, 15c, 25c, 39c and 50c.

Drawers.

Muslin and Cambric Drawers, great variety of styles that are new, lace and embroidery trimmings, hemstitched ruffle and insertion, all extra values at

25c, 39c and 50c.

Thomson Dry Goods Co.

233-235 MAIN STREET, NORTH.

THE IDLER.

A Class at Delphos.

Judge William H. West, of Bellfontaine, who has many friends in this city and vicinity, completed Sunday, a half century, as member of the bar, having been admitted June 9, 1851. The Examiner, speaking of the event says:

"At that time the members in the order of their seniority were Anthony Casad, Benjamin Staton, William Lawrence, Ezra Bennett, James Kerigan, James Walker, C. W. B. Allison and possibly Ezekiel Shelby. Of these Judge West is the only one now living and his brilliancy is more remarked than that of any other citizen of Ohio of equal age. Judge West has passed his 77th birthday. As the oldest member of the bar, Judge West is respected and revered by all the other

members and his counsel are still sought. Few days pass that he is not in his office and always ready for business and glad to welcome old friends and acquaintances. May he live to celebrate the anniversary many times."

Dave Finrock a Contractor.

Dave Finrock, who has retired from the city's service after serving several years as sewer inspector, has become a sewer contractor and is prepared to contract for the construction of private sewer and other similar improvements. Dave is a competent and reliable man and will doubtless bid well for the contracts he can take care of.

Is it a burn? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. A cut? Use Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. At your druggists.

Everybody's liable to itching piles, rich and poor, old and young—rich the torture they suffer. Only one sure cure: Dr. Davis' Ointment. It's safe, won't fall off, won't rub off.